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In reply refer to: TM-DITT/2

Mr. Lynden O. Rasmussen Winston & Cashatt 601 W. Riverside, Suite 1900 Spokane, WA 99201-0695

Dear Mr. Rasmussen:

This letter responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated October 15, logged in as #02-005.

In your request, you asked Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) to advise you whether we are the fee simple owner of the Gilmer Substation, or whether it has been leased to the Klickitat Public Utility District (PUD). If the Substation has been leased to Klickitat, you requested a copy of the lease agreement. You also asked whether BPA holds any security or bond with respect to work performed at the Gilmer Substation by either the Klickitat PUD or its contractors/developers and if so, you requested copies of any such security or bond documents.

BPA sold the Gilmer substation to Klickitat PUD in October 1997. Therefore, BPA has no records responsive to your request for a lease agreement and security or bond documents with respect to work performed at the substation.

Sincerely,

Ruth-Bennett

Sales and Customer Service Manager

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